

The Director of Central Intelligence

Washington, D.C. 20505

National Intelligence Council

NIC 05477-85  
1 November 1985

**MEMORANDUM FOR:** Bob Rich, Deputy Director, NSA  
Bob Schmitt, Deputy Director, DIA  
Jerry Kahan, DAS for Functional Analysis and Research,  
Department of State

**FROM:** Charles E. Allen  
National Intelligence Officer for Counterterrorism  
and Narcotics

**SUBJECT:** Counterterrorism Issue Papers

1. Attached are a series of 45 issue papers formulated by the working group of the Vice President's Task Force on Combatting Terrorism. These are to be reviewed by the Task Force's Policy Review Group prior to their presentation to the Task Force itself.

2. As the DCI's representative to the Review Group, I would be guided by your own views of these issues. Considering that the Review Group is to meet on 7 November to discuss these issues, however, we do not have time to exchange formal correspondence. I would be happy to come to your office or have your representative come here to discuss these in person.

[Redacted Signature Box]

*CEA* Charles E. Allen

25X1

25X1

[Redacted Box]

TOP SECRET